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FEDERAL FUNDS AWARDED TO LOCAL COMMUNITIES Congressman Rodney Alexander Presents USDA Rural Development Funds

JONESBORO, October 15, 2004 – Congressman Rodney Alexander joined USDA Rural Development State Director Michael B. Taylor today to present the Town of Dubach and Greater North Louisiana Community Development Corporation grant funds for important community projects.

Town of Dubach - \$3,000 Grant

USDA Rural Development funds will be used to purchase a new police car for the Town of Dubach—ensuring safe streets and a secure environment for community residents.

Greater North Louisiana Community Development Corporation – \$96,250 Grant

USDA Rural Development funds will be used for building renovations which will result in additional rooms and meeting space available for community events.

USDA Rural Development provides a full range of rural development credit services in rural Louisiana. The Louisiana Rural Development State Office is located at 3727 Government Street, Alexandria, Louisiana 71302, and the telephone number is (318) 473-7921. There are four area offices located throughout the state to serve Louisiana residents. Further information on USDA Rural Development's loan and grant programs can be obtained by visiting Rural Development's web site at:
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